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JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2014

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To provide services, educational programs and activities which enhance and promote the highest quality of life for each individual.

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January and February's Message

Wishing you and your family a happy, healthy and fruitful new year, a year of renewed hope!

The need for renewal is generally on our minds this time of year. Take the first step by at least trying one new activity at the Senior Center in 2014. Many of you have joined us for special events here this fall or received help with your Medicare. Try our ongoing wellness activities. Remember, many health insurance plans offer a fitness benefit. The fees for some of your activities here at the Senior Center can be used to redeem this benefit! The Hanover Senior Center has so much to offer!

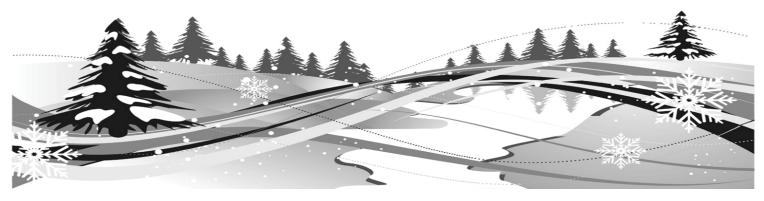
The stereotypical Senior Center does not exist here. We are young at heart!

Robyn

It is the life of the crystal, the architect of the flake, the fire of the frost, the soul of the sunbeam.

This crisp winter air is full of it.

~ John Burroughs ~ "Winter Sunshine"





MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
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JANUARY HIGHLIGHTS NEW YEAR'S TEA

Monday, January 13, 2014 at 1PM, Fee \$3 Optional card readings \$10.00 Limited readings, please sign up .

Share the New Year with friends and a cup of tea! Also, find out what the New Year might hold for you with a card reading by Jane Murray and Valerie Reservations are necessary.

ZUMBA GOLD

FREE INTRODUCTORY CLASS!

Zumba Gold classes will begin, on Thursday, January 2, 2014 at 1:00 PM. This introductory class is free! From then on the fee is \$ 4.00 per class .

Zumba Gold instructor, Pasqualina Schoentholer, well known in the Senior exercise circuit will teach her popular program here on Thursdays at 1:00PM. Licensed to teach specially designed zumba classes for the active older adult or unconditioned participant.

Pasqualina will take Latin dance rhythm and movement and emphasize the basics of zumba dance and exercise.

ART MATTERS

Henri Matisse

Friday, January 10, 2014 at 1PM Fee \$2 Enter the world of Matisse; aworld of color, enjoyment and peace. A place that celebrates flowers, sunshine, beautiful women, complex patterns, rich textures, fine foods, tempting aromas, books, dance, music and art. Matisse's world has a "calming influence on the mind, like a good armchair." Indulge yourself and join us for a vacation from stress, into the sanctuary of Matisse's World. Reserve your place.

BEADING CLASS

Silver and Ice Pendant
With
Terry McMahon
Thursday, January 9, 2014 at 1:00 PM
\$6.00
Limited seating
Sign up is necessary

FEBRUARY HIGHLIGHTS

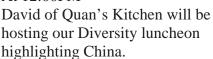
VALENTINE'S TEA

Monday, February 10, 2014 at 1PM, Fee \$3.00.

Enjoy a cup of soup (Hart Brother's Minestrone) before you have tea and a delicious chocolate dessert

DIVERSITY LUNCHEON

Tuesday, February 25, 2014 At 12:00PM David of Quan's Kitchen will b



Chinese Lion dancers will present a traditional Chinese lion dance.

Your lunch is provided free by Quan's Kitchen but we are asking for a \$3.00 donation to help defray the cost of our other expenses. Please come in to make a reservation for this event.

ART MATTERS

Friday, February 14, 2014 at 1PM Fee \$2

Surrealism What is real? What is a dream, a night-mare, a fantasy? Many artists make visual what many can only imagine. The Surrealists view of the world was sometimes dark, curious, even frightening, exploring the subconscious and the irrational. But also they reveal curiosity, much humor, and the poetic hint of possibility. Touch your inner eye, brave the world of the Surrealists. Please make your reservation.

INCLEMENT WEATHER POLICY

If the schools are closed because of inclement weather, there will be no activities or van transportation. The center will be closed.

REMINDER Please call and make reservations to attend activities. We have been cancelling activities with little or no interest and will continue to do this. Call to make sure that this does not happen to programs you want to hear. Thank you.

DURING WINTER STORMS AND EXTREME COLD

Residents are asked to be aware of the following: Residents are advised to keep all parked cars and other automobiles off all roads; Information will be provided continually through the town's Facebook and Twitter accounts, and will be regularly posted on the town's website.

Shelter and warming stations will be announced. Residents are urged to check on neighbors who may need assistance after the snow subsides; The possibility of downed power lines covered by snow is a real and potential serious danger. Please pay particular attention to this probable hazard and exercise extreme caution when outside during and after the storm. If you have an emergency during the storm, please dial 911.

EMERGENCY FORMS

If you wish to be on our emergency contact list in the event of a winter storm, we need the following information completed and sent to the Hanover Senior Center at 665 Center St, Hanover, MA 02339, Attention: Joyce Wilson.

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ALLERGIES	

After Winter Storms And Extreme Cold

Go to a designated public shelter if your home loses power.

Update the emergency kits in your vehicles with:

- a shovel
- windshield scraper and small broom
- flashlight
- battery powered radio
- extra batteries
- water
- snack food
- matches
- extra hats, socks and mittens
- first aid kit with pocket knife
- necessary medications
- blankets
- tow chain or rope
- road salt and sand
- booster cables
- emergency flares
- fluorescent distress flag

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TAX PREPARATION IN 2014

Joe Benson will be back to prepare tax returns at the Hanover Council on Aging. The day of the week has not been set yet. Call to make an appointment to have your taxes done here. There is a charge for this service.

NOT FORGOTTEN

"I am always saddened by the death of a good person. It is from this sadness that a feeling of gratitude emerges. I feel honored to have known them and blessed that their passing serves as a reminder to me that my time on this beautiful earth is limited and that I should seize the opportunity I have to forgive, share, explore, and love. I can think of no greater way to honor the deceased than to live this way."

Steve Maraboli

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